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DAILY NEWS.

News Summary.

Intelligence has been received by the Mexican Legation at Washington that General Diaz, of the Army of the East, taken prisoner when Caxaco fell, and kept in Puebla as a prisoner of war, has made his escape and rejoined the Republican forces. Gen. Diaz is now in the State of Oaxaco at the head of a considerable force, and intends to resume the offensive within a short time. The inhabitants of La Sierra and La Canada are in arms against Maximilian, and General Diaz is actively engaged in organizing them into regiments and .brigades.

Great alarm exists among the Imperialists, as Diaz was regarded as one of the ablest Generals on the Liberal side. In Zacatecas people are daily arrested by officers of the Imperial Government for disloyalty. The well known ill-feeling existing between the French and the United States troops on the Rio Grande seem to encourage the disaffection.

An important case was tried before the United States District Court at Memphis, Tenn., last weck. It was that of PARE against HAMILTON, and its history was as follows: In the year 1862, while the Confederate forces still held possession of Memphis, the defendant, Thomas A. Hamilton, was appointed by the Confederate Government an agent to seize certain sugars and cotton, the property of merchants whom it was believed were purchasing and holding such commodities upon speculation, in view of the probable surrender of Memphis to the Federal forces, and against the laws of the Confederate Congress and the declared policy of that Government, whose officers were instructed to prevent the undue accumulation of articles of prime commercial value at points as seriously threatened as Memphis then was. In obedience to instructions then given him, HAMILTON seized a number of hogsheads of sugar, the property of Dr. A. J. PARK-valued at \$75,000and turned it over to the Confederate Receiver or Quartermaster, or, with other sugars at that time seized, sent it South by railroad. No vouchers were given, but a memorandum was made at the time of the value and number of barrels and hogs heads, and in some cases, we believe, copies of such were furnished to the owners. Dr. Park now brings suit against Mr. Hamilton to recover the value of the property so seized. On the 28th ultimo the jury came into Court and announced that they were unable to agree upon a verdict, and the case goes over to the next term of the Court.

The carpenters and some other mechanics are holding meetings in New York city, to bring about a reduction of the hours of labor from ten hours to eight hours a day. The mechanics say they could do as much work in the shorter period as they do now. Reductions in the prices of labor of many kinds have taken place within a few months past, and the men have usually accepted the diminished rates. Demands for increased wages, nearly reaching the highest prices that were paid last year, have recently been made, however, by the men of some of the trades. A rise was this week conceded in shipjoiners' wages and the sums most of the employers have agreed to pay are four dollars a day for "old" work, and four dollars and a quarter a day for new work. Shipjoiners have always received larger compensation, comparatively, than other mechanics Journeymen shoemakers have demanded an in crease of twenty-five per cent, in their wages, and the employers who met to consider the demand resolved that it was exorbitant, but that an increase of fifteen per cent. would be fair. The shoemakers have not decided to accept the offer.

The Augusta Chronicle is informed that the regular course of lectures of the Atlanta Medical College will commence on the first Tuesday in November next. The Faculty is composed of skillful Professors, who well understand the duties of their position.

The chair formerly occupied by Dr. H. W. Bnown-that of Professor of Anatomy-who has removed to Texas, is now filled by D. C. O'KEEFE, M. D., recently a surgeon in the army, and now a resident physician of Atlanta, a gentleman skilled in his profession, and a worthy successor of the distinguished Professor whose place he will fill.

A New York exchange says that a comprehen sive scheme for benefiting the South, by supplying it with labor, has been devised in the East-Goy. ANDREW, of Massachusetts, being at the head of it. The project contemplates the establishment of a central office in New York, where the owners of land in the slave States can become acquainted with Northern purchasers; and thus a stream of emigration be organized which will fill certain sections of the South with a population having Northern energy and ideas. Branch offices will be instituted in all the former slave States. The Southern States themselves are doing something of the same kind, and to the same end. It is proposed in several of them to appoint a State Commissioner, with power to ascertain and advertise all lands for sale, to open information offices, to distribute descriptive pamphlets, and to station emigration agents in the chief ports of Europe.

The English government seems to become more and more frightened in regard to the supposed movements of the Fenians. A number of detectives from London arrived in the last steamer to New York, with special instructions, it is understood, to keep an eye on the Fenians, and inform the English government from time to time of whatever facts may come to their knowledge in regard to them. One or more of these detectives, it is stated, left for Chicago, where it is believed the Fenians are organized in greater strength than anywhere else in America, excepting New York and vicinity. It is understood that the Fenians have lately adopted a stricter secrecy in metheir communications and action than formerly.

The Cincinnati Times says, from reliable information from various sections of the State, it has been ascertained that the growing crop of tobacco will be far less than that of last year, both in quality and quantity. In the more southern portion of the State, and Tennessee, what is denominated as Clarkesville leaf is equally short, the impression provailing that the yield will not much exceed half the usual average. A letter from Todd County, Ky., from an intelligent observer, who is not a tobacce grower or buyer, states as the results of his investigation that, under the most favorable circumstances, a two-thirds crop, as compared with last year, will not be grown this year in that whole region. With late planting and the hazards of carly frosts, that estimate is very liable to fall short.

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